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The Daily Courant.

Wednesday, June 23. 1714.

Paris, June 26.

'M. de Mesnager, famous for 'his Negociations, died some 'Days ago suddenly as he 'was playing at Ombre: He 'was taken off as he was uttering these Words, '*I have won Codille*, others say *Ganau*: Never 'was a more speedy Death seen, a Cannon-'Ball could not have dispatched him sooner. 'The Court are alarmed by what has passed 'at Lyons, and put in Apprehension of like 'popular Commotions in other Parts of the 'Kingdom; wherefore they seem re-'solved to suppress divers Farms, as al-'so divers Offices invented to raise Money. 'M. des Marets is come to Paris, to repeal 'and annull ('tis said) all Offices created since 'the Year 1688, to the Number of above '300: Those who purchased them are to 'be reimbursed as they can get it in Money 'or in Paper: Which will bring a Clamour 'from a vast Number of People, many 'having lent Money on those Offices, and 'others having laid out all their Fortunes in 'them, to live at their Ease, those Pur-'chaces bringing them in Ten and more per 'Cent Interest. The Persecution for Re-'ligion is renewed with Rigour: In Poitou, 'a Fine of ten Sols is to be paid for every 'time a new Convert shall be absent 'from Mass. The Hôtel-Dieu (or grand 'Hospital) is enlarging very considera-'bly with new Wards: 'Tis reckoned 'those new Buildings will cost three Mil-'lions: It would be better done, say 'some, to lessen the Number of the Sick, 'by relieving the poorer Sort from divers 'Taxes and other Pressures which reduce 'them to such bad Fare as throws them into 'Distempers; or at least to sell the Hôtel-'Dieu, which stands ill for an Hospital, be-'ing in the Heart of the Town, and lodg-'ing 3 or 4000 Sick, and to build another 'without the City, which would render this 'Capital less liable to Infection. An Arrêt 'of the King's Council of State, dated the '11th Instant, is come out, absolutely pro-'hibiting the Traffick and Wear of Silks, 'Stuffs, Calicoes and Muslins brought from 'the East-Indies, China, and the Levant; 'ordering all Persons possessed of any House-'hold-Furniture made up of such Silks or 'Calicoes &c, to give in a List of them 'within three Months to certain Ma-'gistrates or Officers named in the Arrêt, 'and allowing the Owners to dispose of 'them within that Term of three Months, 'but not afterwards, under very severe Pe-'nalties, &c. Some Months ago a Royal 'Edict reduced the publick Annuities to four 'per Cent: The 13th Instant the Parlia-'ment registred a new Edict of the King's, 'for creating Annuities to the value of '400000 Livres at 8 per Cent.

From the Paris Letter, dated June 26.

Paris, June 26. 'Tis advised from Lor-rain the 19th, that after all Inquiry and Ex-amination of the Accomplices in the pre-tended Conspiracy against the Electoral Prince of Saxony, nothing could be disco-vered to the 12th Instant; and 'twas be-lieved this Conspiracy had no other Foun-dation than some disrespectful Words about King Augustus, spoke in the Heat of Wine by some Soldiers Natives of Sweden or Ad-herents, disbanded out of divers German Troops, which Soldiers were siezed and im-prisoned at Cologne. The 23d the Marshal de Villars was received into the French Aca-demy, to whom he made an eloquent Speech which was applauded by all, in the Presence of a great Company of Persons very illustrious as well for their Birth and Rank as for their Merits. The Obsequies of the late Duke of Berry, which were to have been solemnized to Day, are deser-red till a Fortnight hence, because the Preparations are not finished. The King al-lows the Dutchess of Berry one of the Com-panies of Guards which belonged to the deceased Duke. The Corpse of the Dut-chess of Bouillon was interred the 23d In-stant with great Pomp. By her Will, made some time before she died, she has left large Legacies to her domestick Servants, to di-vers Churches, and to the Poor.

London, June 23.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 89 three quarters to 89 three eights. Bank 123 one quarter. India 125 three quarters. African 35 to 34. The Transfer Books of the South-Sea Stock and India Stock, are to be shut this Day, in order to a Dividend.

By the particular Command of a Lady of Quality.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Wednesday, being the 23d of June, will be perform'd an Opera call'd, Rinaldo. In which the following Songs will be sung in the room of others. By Mrs. Robinson, Nò che tumido ingrossi. Linda. Signora Galizzari, Lusinghe Vezzi &c. Signora Margarita, Amore Lusinga, or, To Beauty devoted. Mrs. Brattier, Ho da non so che nell occhio. Mrs. Manini, Una speranza mi dice al core. N.B. Particular Care will be taken to keep the House Cold. Boxes 5s. Pit 3s. Gallery 2s. 6d. Boxes upon the Stage Half a Guinea.

At Lambeth-Wells,

This is to give Notice to all Gentlemen and Ladies, that to Morrow being Thursday the 24th of June, will be a Holland Smock Run for (by Three Maids) five times round the Walks. Note, There will be good Entertainment, with Musick and Dancing all the Summer.

Dropt or lost in Westminster-Hall on Wednesday the 16th Instant, a gilded Leath r Pocket-Book, wherein was a Bill of 15 Guineas drawn by Leonard Lawes on one John Wyborne, p yable to Tho. Francis or ord r, at Sight, for Value received, and other Papers, of no Use but to the Owner. Whoever brings the said Pocket-Book, with the Bill and Papers therein, to Mr. Lenthal's, a Stationer, near to the Mitre Tavern in Fleet-street, shall have 10 s. Reward, and no Questions asked.

On Friday the 18th Instant, a Gentleman was taken up by a Coach at the Cross-Keys without Temple-Bar, and set down in Tower-street near the 7 Dials, and drop t a Snuff-Box in the Coach, viz. A square Tortois-shell Box, with a Silver Rim and Hinge, and a plain Plate of Silver on the Lid of it. If the Coachman who took up the said Gentleman, or any other Person will bring the said Box to Mr. Charles Mather, between the Two Temple-Gates, he shall receive a Guinea Rewa d, which is double the Value of the Silver, and no Questions shall be asked.

Lost about the 14th Instant in or near Westminster-Hall, a Green Vellum Pocket-Book, in which were several Papers, of no Use but to the Owner. Whoever brings it to Nath. Goldham, Coun-mercer, at the Red House in Thames Street near the Custom-House, shall have 5 s. Reward, and no Questions ask d.

Left in a Hackney Coach on Thursday the 17th Instant, a spotted Cane with a large Amber Head and a Black String. If the Person that finds it will bring it to the Two Golden Balls in Southampton-street in Covent-Garden, so that the Owner may have it again, they shall have Half a Guinea Reward.

To be LETT,

At Bromley near Bow, a convenient House pleasantly situated, having 4 Rooms on a Floor, and a large Wash-house, with a good Garden. Enquire at Garraway's Coffee-house in Exchange-Alley, or at the said House over-against the five high Trees in Bow-Mills-street.

A Freehold Estate of about 100 l. per Annum, lying in and near Kent-street, near St. George's Church in Southwark, part whereof being Garden-Ground, and other part thereof being a Brew-House ready fitted up with Coppers and other Utensils, &c. being an improveable Estate, to be Sold together, or in Parcels. Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. Edward Burney, Junior, an Attorney, over against the Pump in Chancery-lane.

Mill'd Lead of all Sizes.

Note, 100 weight will cover more Room than 120 and half of Cast Lead, and is more Neat and Serviceable, being of a due Equality, and Mill'd to any Thickness; the Mill may be seen working, which will shew its Excellency. He exchangeth for Pig Lead, or old Lead, and Mills either for any Person; he also makes Mould-Pipes of all Sizes after a new Method, and hath Cast Sheet-Lead, as good as can be made, for those who are inclined to use it. By John Fincher, Plummer, at his Lead-Mill in Swallow-Street, Piccadilly. Where all being performed by himself, are sold cheaper than by any other Person.

A Catalogue of Prints and Drawings, collected by Richard Dalton, Esq; late of Black-Heath in the County of Kent, deceased, are by a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be Sold by Auction, at the Covent-Garden Coffee-house, being the South End of the Little Piazza, Covent-Garden, this Day the 23d Instant. The Prints &c, may be seen till the time of Sale, which will begin at 5 a-Clock in the Afternoon precisely. Catalogues may be had at Mr. Cooper's at the three Pidgeons in Half Moon-Street in the Strand, and at the Place of Sale. Note, These Prints &c, were collected by him in his Travels abroad.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

An extraordinary Collection of Pictures, with a Monthly Clock, and a Spinnet, at Mr. Copeland's House in Manchester-Court in Channel-Row, near New-Palace-Yard, Westminster, this Day the 23d Instant, beginning exactly at 11 a-Clock in the Forenoon. The Pictures &c, to be viewed this Day until the Hour of Sale. Catalogues to be had at Mr. Cooper's at the Three Pidgeons in Half-Moon-Street in the Strand, and at the Place of Sale. Note, This is no Artificial Sale, neither will any indirect Practices be committed. The House being then to be quitted, and to be Lett.

To be Sold by AUCTION,

A very fine Collection of Original Pictures by several of the most celebrated Masters, lately brought from beyond Sea, at the Three Chairs in the Little-Piazza next Russel-Street in Covent-Garden, to Morrow the 24th Instant: Where Catalogues may be had, and the Pictures view'd this Day before the Sale, which will begin exactly at 11 a-Clock.

Bibliotheca Wiseana: **Or, A Catalogue of the Li**brary of the late Ingenious Mr. Wise, of the Inner-Temple, Deceas'd; being a choice Collection of Books, chiefly Law, in all Volumes: Which will be Sold by the fairest way (the Price being put on the first Leaf) to Morrow the 24th Instant, at the Bear-Tavern in the Strand, near the New-Exchange; where the Books may be view'd this Day before the Sale, and Catalogues had gratis; likewise at Mr. Strahan's in Cornhil; Mr. Clements's in St. Paul's Church-Yard; at Mr. Browne's without Temple-Bar; Mr. Barber's in Westminster-Hall; and at Mr. Stokoe's over-against the Mewse near Charing-Cross. N.B. The Sale to be from 9 in the Morning till 7 in the Evening; and to continue two Days and no longer.

A Sale of most curious Books in most Faculties and Languages, amongst which are Kersey's Algebra compleat, Fox's Martyrs best Edition, Plutarch's Lives, Lord Strafford's Tryal, with 3 more Volumes of Rushworth's Collections, and many choice English Octavo's, some Pamphlets, &c. Will be Sold this Day and the 3 following Days, at the Hand and Pen in Russel-Court, Drury-Lane, by written Catalogues and easy Prices. The Person being selling off his Stock, Gentlemen shall have good Pennyworths.

Bibliothecæ Selectæ pars altera: **Or, A Catalogue** of Rare and Valuable Books, in Greek, Latin, Italian and French, of the best Editions, many bound in red Turky Leather, gilt Leaves; with some of the choicest Authors in Italian, amongst which are Victorius's Tully, the 4 Classicks, of the Louvre Edition, the Decameron of Aldus, the Speccio, and 3 other Pieces of Giordano Bruno, lately brought from beyond Sea, and to be sold by Auction, to Morrow the 24th Instant, at the Green Door in the Little-Piazza Covent-Garden, beginning at 6 a-Clock in the Evening precisely. Catalogues may be had of Mr. King in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Varenne at Seneca's-Head near Somerset-House in the Strand, Mr. Wotton at the 3 Daggers near the Temple Gate, Mr. Bateman in Pater-Noster-Row, Mr. Strahan at the Golden-Ball over-against the Royal-Exchange, at Covent-Garden Coffee-house, and at the Place of Sale. N. B. The Books may be seen from this Morning till the time of Sale.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Friday the 25th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at 3 a Clock in the Afternoon, the Maiden-head Brigantine, Burthen about 45 Tons more or less, Length by the Keel 42 Foot, Breadth by the Beam 12 Foot, Depth in Hold 7 Foot and half, lying at Fountain-Stairs, John Hasewood Commander. Inventories to be seen on Board the said Ship, and at the Place of Sale. To be Sold by Samuel Eyre, Broker. To be spoke with every Day on the Spanish-Walk on the Exchange, and before and after at Lloyd's Coffee-house aforesaid.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Friday the 25th of June, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon, the Sarah Brigantine, Burthen about 30 Tons more or less, 11 Foot and Half by the Beam, 7 Foot 3 Inches Deep, Length proportionable, lying between Wapping Old and New Stairs, near Mr. Wells's Yard. Inventories to be seen on Board the said Ship, and at the Place of Sale. To be sold by Samuel Eyre, Broker. To be spoke with every Day on the Spanish-Walk on the Exchange, and before and after at Lloyd's Coffee-house aforesaid.

John Hellier, Merchant, (formerly in Partnership with Tho. Brooke) gives Notice, that he hath laid in a fresh Parcel of Wines of his own Importation into a Vault under St. James's Market, where they will be sold, as formerly, neat and natural, viz. Port Wines Red and White at 12 s. 6 d. per Quart, Canary at 12 s. per Quart, White Anadia at 10 d. per Quart, or 6 l. 6 d. per Gallon, Mountain Malaga, Caravella, and Rhenish Wine at 2 s. per Quart, or 7 l. 6 d. per Gallon, new Cask Florence at 2 s. per Quart, or 7 l. per Gallon, new Chest Florence at 4 l. per Chest, of 40 Flasks per Chest, or 2 s. 3 d. per Flask, French Wine at 2 s. 3 d. per Quart, or the very best sorts of French Clarets at 2 s. 6 d. or 3 s. per Quart, or 18 s. 6 d. per Flask. Good Allowance will be given in all these Sorts of Wines per the Rhd. N. B. To prevent Gentlemens Servants mistaking the Vault, and several Impositions which hath been occasioned thereby, printed Receipts will be given for Money received for any Quantity of Wine not less than a Gallon. There is good Accommodation for drinking there. Note also, Said neat Wines are sold at Oakley's Coffee-house in Newgate-Market.

Just Publish'd, the 2d Edition of,

Hope's New Method of Fencing; or, The True Art of Fighting, with the Back-Sword, Sheering-Sword, Small-Sword, and Sword and Pistol: Wherein the Defence and Pursuit of these Weapons, both on Foot and Horseback, against all Sorts of edged or pointed Weapons, are reduc'd to so few General Rules, that any Person of an Indifferent Capacity may soon attain so much Skill as necessary for the Defence of his Life or Honour in any Accidental Scuffle. Sold by G. Strahan against the Exchange in Cornhill, and the Booksellers of London and Westminster.

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A Rational Account of the Distempers peculiar to the Female Sex. Plainly discovering their Symptoms, Nature, true Cause, and best Method of Cure, so as Women or Maids of the meanest Capacity may perfectly understand, and Cure their own Illnesses: With an ample Discourse on Barrenness and Miscarriage, directing how certainly to Cure the Former, and absolutely prevent the Latter. To which are added, Prescriptions in English of admirable and long experienc'd Medicines for the Cure of each private Distemper Women and Maids are subject to, by which they may safely Cure themselves, without Trouble, the Advice, or Knowledge of any other Person. The whole Illustrated with various Cases of Persons Cured, proper Hints, useful Cautions, Observations and Instructions, the like for general Benefit to the Female Sex, never before published. By a Physician. Printed and Sold at the Hatch with Blue-Spikes, near the Square in Haydon-Yard in the Minories. Price Bound 1 s. 6 d.

Vivifying Drops for Barrenness in Women and Imbecility in Men. Which renovate the vital Ferment of the Blood, rectify the languid State of all the Fluids, rouse, fortify, and increase the Spirits, invigorate the Nerves, restore Juvenile Warmth, and cause a sparkling Gladness and ardent Courage to flow in the Heart, and expand it self through the whole human System, so as infallibly to cure all Cold, and moist Diseases, that by binding down the Spirits, depressing the Mind, and damping the noble Faculties, extinguish in a great Measure the Lamp of Life, and cause Barrenness and Imbecility. They potently strengthen and corroborate all Parts of the Body, effectually promote Conception, and render both Sexes prolyfick in a wonderful Manner, as very large Experience in private Practice testifies. It is sold only at Mr. Osborn's Toyshop, at the Rose and Crown under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, Price 5 s. the Bottle with Directions.

A Short and Infallible Cure for the Itch, or any *Itching Humour, or Scorbutick Breaking out whatsoever, tho' it be never so bad, or of never so long standing; by a Specifick Electuary, particularly adapted for that Purpose, and many Years experienced: It's the most wonderful Secret in the World for the Cure of that troublesome Distemper and the Scurvy: For in 2 or 3 Times taking, it certainly clearses and rectifies the Blood and Juices, to Admiration, frees them from all Manner of Impurities, and absolutely strikes at the very Root of the Itch, or other Scorbutick Breakings out, so as infallibly to accomplish a Cure in Two or Three Days, to a Miracle, and that with the greatest Ease and Safety imaginable, without the least Trouble or Confinement. Is sold only by Mrs. Bradbury at the Golden Ball in the Poultry against Stocks Market, at 3 l. a Box, with printed Directions.*

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